

## CIVIL ACTIONS

Four Suits Filed  
In Common Pleas  
And Superior Court**Coal Company Asks \$5,000 on Alleged Breach of Contract—Mary Raimo, Struck By Pinavich Automobile, Sues For \$5,000**

Damages of \$14,000 are asked in four civil actions filed today in the common pleas and superior courts. The Vanasse Company, which has a contract with the Waterbury Coal Co. on an alleged breach of contract, filed suit in common pleas court. Mary Raimo asks \$5,000 from William Pinavich for injuries suffered when hit by the defendant's car. Elizabeth Aspell asks \$3,500 from Joseph W. Handy on a note transaction and John Bartish asks \$500 from Felix Roganski of Thomaston on a commission suit.

In the coal company suit, the plaintiff charges the defendant failed to go through with its part of an agreement to lease the plaintiff's coal yards and that as a result the plaintiff lost considerable sums.

Mary Raimo charges she was hit by the defendant's car at Waterbury avenue and Robbins street, Feb. 15th as she was crossing the street about 7 p. m. Injuries to her arm and body are alleged to have been suffered.

System Modification  
Depression Cure**Rev Joseph Todd Discusses Economics With Kiwanis Club**

"To rid ourselves of the depression we should all get together and work out a modification of our present system," stated Rev Joseph O. Todd, pastor of the Mill Plain Union church in his address this noon to the Kiwanis club at the Hotel Elton.

The war and the stock market crash of 1929 were two of the real causes of the depression. Persons speak of an advocated possibility of a modified socialism in this country, added the speaker, but we

never have had it.

Rev James Gregg introduced the speaker. At the conclusion of his address it was announced that a meeting of the board of directors will be held Friday noon at the Hotel Elton.

Commission on

Liquor to Soon

Be Appointed

Hartford, Conn., March 1—(UP)—The commission to investigate state needs and recommend legislation for the handling of liquor if and when the Eighteenth amendment is repealed, will be named soon.

The bill calling for creation of such a commission was signed yesterday afternoon by Governor Cross. He will name five members and the president of the senate and the speaker of the house will each name one member. The commission is to report April

FIRE CAPTAIN'S  
DEATH NOT YET  
FULLY CLEARED**Peabody Officer Died of  
Poison, But Whether  
Suicide or Murder is  
Still Unsolved**

Peabody, Mass., Mar. 1—(UP)—Police had under surveillance today an expert in chemicals believed to have furnished the advice that led to the administering of cyanide to Fire Captain William J. Costello. Investigators held that whether the poison was self-administered or administered by another person it was apparent that there was the guidance of expert advice. Had not the cyanide been swallowed in food, liquid or in a capsule, they pointed out, it would have killed Costello before it reached his stomach, where traces of it were revealed by an autopsy.

Of considerable importance in the eyes of investigators was last night's pathological report showing that cyanide alone caused Costello's death and that there were no traces of oxalic acid in his vital organs.

The attractive widowed mother of Costello's had in the past police she bought the cyanide and some oxalic acid at a local pharmacy, and that shortly before his death her husband mixed the two contents of both packages with the idea of using the mixture for cleaning purposes. Thus, detectives were puzzled by the disclosure that what is lost in the body was unmixing. Costello, who was 34, died about 10 days ago after attending a wake.

PREMIER WINS  
FIGHT OVER THE  
FRENCH BUDGET

Paris, March 1—(UP)—Premier Daladier's government emerged victorious today from a parliamentary battle over the French budget, winning a vote of confidence in the chamber of deputies by 360 to 214.

The government met keen opposition from a strong political group interested in the two budgets which imposes taxes on all government functionaries earning 12,000 francs a year or more.

The chamber proposed to tax these officials on a basis of 9,000 francs. The senate had raised the minimum income to 15,000. A compromise between the two figures was fought out in an early morning session of the parliament.

Although this action will provide the government with funds for a month, widespread discontent among the thousands of government employees was regarded as inevitable, and reprisals were expected.

MARRIAGE OF  
BUSTER KEATON

Hollywood, March 1—(UP)—Even though Buster Keaton's marriage to Miss May Scribbs is illegal in California, authorities are not interested in his matrimonial affairs as long as he does not live in this state with his new bride until next August, it was learned today.

Keaton made his marriage public to friends in El Paso, Tex., yesterday. He said he and Miss Scribbs were wedded in Ensenada, Mex., last January 8.

## MRS PERRY DEAD

Hancock, N. H., March 1—(UP)—Mrs Lilla Cabot Perry, about 70, painter and author, and widow of the late Thomas Sergeant Perry died at her home here yesterday.

NEW HAMPSHIRE  
PLANT DISLIKES  
48 HOUR LAW**Threatens to Remove to  
the South if the State  
Passes the Short Hour  
Law**

Boston, March 1—(UP)—If New Hampshire adopts the proposed 48-hour work week, the Nashua Manufacturing company will be compelled to have more of its plants than what is lost in the south, firm officials announced today. Though denying that the movement of 254 looms from the Nashua, N. H., mills to the plant at Cardova, Ala., was the beginning of a general transfer of operations, Robert Amory, company treasurer, warned that adoption of the short week would increase the cost of manufacture in New Hampshire over the south.

The Nashua Manufacturing company is a large manufacturing concern and therefore less business and therefore less employment, he said. "I would respectfully point out to the other communities of New Hampshire which have no textile plants that what is lost in Nashua, Manchester, etc., because of a 48-hour law or other restrictive legislation will be a loss to the entire state."

First Woman Picked  
For Any Cabinet Is  
Labor Enthusiast**Miss Frances Perkins Has Been a Worker For the  
Interests of the Laboring People For Years—Has  
Already Outlined Program to Beat Depression**

BY RUBY A. BLACK  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

New York, March 1—(UP)—Stability of industry and security of the job are industry's major problems today in the opinion of Miss Frances Perkins, who as secretary of labor, is to be the first woman to sit at the cabinet table in the White House.

Miss Perkins is expected to effect a complete reorganization of the labor department in order to shift the emphasis from immigration problems, which have recently absorbed it, to labor problems.

Miss Perkins, who is not quite 46, has devoted her life to industrial questions, beginning with the problem of industrial safety. Her intense interest in this problem was born when, at the age of 24, she witnessed the 1911 Triangle shirtwaist factory fire in New York city, in which young women workers were trapped in a holocaust that took 146 lives.

Miss Perkins was named secretary of a committee of state to investigate that fire. Since that time she has worked constantly on industrial problems from the point of view of the men and women who work in factories.

"We have solved the problem of industrial safety," said Miss Perkins. "The best methods of preventing industrial accidents and diseases are not practiced in every plant in every industry, but we have the technique. When a new hazard develops from a new product or a new process, we learn at once how to solve it."

"But we have not yet solved the problem of stability and security. We can solve it, I am confident. Perhaps we shall be able to solve it as a result of this depression."

Miss Perkins last December out-

## SEEK \$14,000 DAMAGES

## PRE-INAUGURAL POSE



Awaiting greater honors were Speaker and Mrs John Garner when, as shown here, they posed at their Washington hotel suite shortly before he was to be inaugurated as vice-president.

BOSTON POLICE  
STILL SEARCH  
FOR LOST GIRLS**Desperate Efforts Being  
Made to Find Some  
Trace of Two Lost For  
Eight Days**

Boston, March 1—(UP)—Police today continued desperate efforts to find two small girls who disappeared from their homes eight days ago.

Cellars were dug up, untenanted houses and a brewery were searched in the belief that Helen Lindeman, 9, and June Bolduc, 8, might have been slain and their bodies concealed.

It was learned police have under surveillance a man known to have enticed girls from their homes and attacked them.

Authorities have gone so far as to investigate wild "tips" given by this man in order to gather evidence against him or in the hope he would lead them to the children.

A secret playroom of the children near a well that once supplied water for a brewery was discovered by detectives yesterday. Several empty bay rum bottles were found in the place. The drainage tunnel leading from the well was searched.

A taxicab driver told police he had heard screams coming from the brewery the night after the girls' disappearance. Police planned to investigate the "tip" more thoroughly today.

South Boston authorities were asked to search for a man seen alighting from an elevated train about Friday with two children whose descriptions tallied with those of the missing girls.

The mothers of both children were prostrated and under physicians' care.

WAS DENIED  
CITIZENSHIP

St. Paul, March 1—(UP)—A minister, opposed to going to war, was denied citizenship in federal court today despite his plea that the Kellogg-Brundage treaty made willingness to bear arms for the United States an obsolete qualification.

In a five-minute hearing, Rev. T. F. Rutledge Beale, pastor of People's church, and a naturalized citizen, requested the court to grant him citizenship. He was barred from citizenship by Judge M. Mam Joyce.

The pastor said he would appeal Court.

## LOCAL BANK STOCKS

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## N. Y. Bank and Trust Stocks

The R. F. Griggs Co.

ONE HUNDRED LEADING STOCKS  
SHOW DECLINE OF 19 PERCENT  
FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY**Despite This So-Called "February Depression" The  
Total Valuation Is Still 32 Per Cent Above The  
June Low of 1932.**

New York, March 1—The market value of 100 representative stocks decreased 19.3 per cent, or \$1,762,908,000 in February to \$7,350,394,000, according to a survey of the past month's market activities. The February depreciation brings the value of the group back to the lowest point since July, 1932 but leaves the valuation 32 per cent higher than on June 30 last. It would take a further depreciation of approximately as large as that sustained in February to carry prices back to the bear market lows. The largest loss in dollars in February was in the utilities, which declined \$379,524,000. The oil group dropped \$255,700,000; the railroads, \$229,508,000; and the motors, \$204,227,000.

	Jan 31, 1933	Feb 28, 1933	Decrease	Per Cent
15 Rails	\$1,187,181	\$957,673	\$229,508	19.3%
10 Utilities	1,688,573	1,392,924	295,649	17.5%
14 Industrials	668,865	551,454	117,411	17.5%
10 Oils	1,703,517	1,427,947	275,570	16.1%
7 Mines	340,607	283,877	56,730	16.6%
5 Steels	326,091	274,258	51,833	16.0%
5 Equipments	155,470	127,948	27,522	17.7%
5 Electricals	563,351	441,034	122,317	21.7%
5 Chemicals	470,196	385,084	85,112	18.0%
7 Foods	579,784	494,506	85,278	14.7%
5 Merchandise	555,614	458,780	96,834	17.4%
5 Buildings	144,133	87,000	57,133	39.6%
Totals	\$9,113,302	\$7,350,394	\$1,762,908	19.3%

\*List revised.  
\*Substituted for amusement group.

Connecticut  
Securities Quotations

Furnished by  
The R. F. Griggs Co.

	Bid	Asked
Bridgeport Gas Lt Co	38	41
Bridgeport Hydraulic Co	24	27
Conn Elec Service	40	43
Conn Gas & Coke com	12	14
Conn Gas & Coke pfd	45	50
Conn Lt & Pow 5 1/2% pfd	100	110
Conn Lt & Pow 6 1/2% pfd	110	120
Connecticut Power Co	39	41
Conn Ry & Lt Co com	50	55
Conn Ry & Lt Co pfd 50	50	55
Hfd Elec Lt Co com	50 1/2	52 1/2
Hfd Gas Lt Co com	45	47
New Haven Water Co	64	67
Sou N. E. Tel Co	98	102

	Bid	Asked
Am Hardware Co	12 1/2	14 1/2
Bristol Brass Corp	4	7
Colts Pat Fire Arms Co	8	10
Eagle Lock Co	15	19
Landers, Frary & Clark	10 1/2	21 1/2
New Britain Machine Co com	5	6
Niles - Bement - Pond com	4	7
North & Judd Mfg Co	8	10
Peck, Stow & Wilcox	3	4
Scovill Mfg Co	10	12
Stanley Works Co com	8	10
Torrington Co	29	31

	Bid	Asked
Aetna Fire Insurance	25	27
Aetna Life Insurance	10	12
Automobile Insurance	13	15
Connecticut General	18 1/2	20 1/2
Hfd Fire Insurance	32 1/2	34 1/2
Home Insurance	12	14
Nat'l Fire Insurance	35	37
Phoenix Fire Ins.	44	47
Travelers Insurance	300	310

	Bid	Asked
Amer Sup	3	3 1/2
Central States	1	1 1/2
Cities Service	2 1/2	3
Elec Bond & Share	11 1/2	13
Ford Ind	2 1/2	3
Niagara Hudson	10 1/2	11 1/2
United Founders	1	1 1/2

FORD AIDE WAS LOST  
AND FOUND

A "quiet investigation" ordered in an attempt to locate Ernest G. Liebold (above) general secretary to Henry Ford, who disappeared after leaving his office on the afternoon of February 27, has ended as missing man was located. He is Ford's general fiscal agent and was to have a prominent part in Ford's plans for creating two new banks in Detroit.

## Closing Prices

Furnished by Bood, McEllan & Co.

	Y'st'day's Close	Today's Close
Adams Express	3 1/2	3 1/2
Air Reduc	48 1/2	50
Alaska Jun	11 1/2	11
Allegheny	1	1
Allied Chem	73 3/4	74 1/4
Am Can	51 1/2	52 1/2
Am For Pwr	4 1/2	4
Amer Int'l	5	5
Am Rad Stan	5 1/2	5 1/2
Am Roll Mills	6 1/2	6 1/2
Am Sm Ref	11 1/2	11 1/2
Am Steel Fdy	5	5
Am Tel & Tel	97	98
Am Tobacco B	53 1/2	54 1/4
Anaconda Cop	6	5 1/4
Atch Top & S. E.	36 1/2	37 1/2
Atlantic Ref	13	13 1/2
Auburn Auto	32 1/2	34 1/2
Baldwin Loco	4 1/4	4 1/4
Balt & Ohio	9 1/2	9 1/2
Bendix Aviation	7	7 1/2
Beth Steel	11 1/2	10 1/2
Bohn Alum	10	10
Borden	18 1/2	19 1/2
Borg Warner	6	6 1/2
Briggs	2 1/2	2 1/2
Byers	8 1/2	8 1/2
Canada Dry	7 1/2	7 1/2
Can Pacific	8 1/2	7 1/2
Case Mach	32 1/2	34 1/2
Ches & Ohio	25 1/2	26 1/2
Chesapeake Corp	16 1/2	17 1/2
Chicago & N. St. P.	3 1/4	3 1/4
Chl M. I. & S. P.	1 1/4	1 1/4
Chrysler Motor	11 1/2	11 1/2
Columbia Gas	11 1/2	11 1/2
Columbia Carbon	24 1/2	26 1/2
Com Solvents	9 1/2	9 1/2
Com Southern	5	5 1/2
Congoleum	7 1/2	8 1/2
Con Gas	45 1/2	47 1/2
Continental Can	36 1/2	38 1/2
Corn Products	47 1/2	47 1/2
Drug Inc	31 1/2	32 1/2
DuPont	34	34 1/2
Eastman Kodak	51	52 1/2
Elec Auto-Lite	12 1/2	13 1/2
Elec P. & L.	3 1/2	4 1/2
Foster Wheeler	4 1/2	4 1/2
Fox Film	1 1/4	1 1/4
Freepress Texas	17 1/2	17 1/2
General Elec	12	12 1/2
General Foods	22	23 1/2
Gen Gas & Elec A	7 1/2	8 1/2
General Motors	10	10 1/2
Gillette Razor	14 1/2	14 1/2
Adolph Gobel	3 1/2	3 1/2
Gold Dust	12 1/2	12 1/2
Goodrich	3 1/2	3 1/2
Goodyear	10	11 1/2
Grigsby Grunow	3 1/2	3 1/2
Houston Oil	9 1/2	9 1/2
Hudson Motors	3 1/2	3 1/2
Hupp Motors	1 1/2	1 1/2
Int'l Harvester	14 1/2	15 1/2
Int'l Nickel	7 1/2	7 1/2
Int'l Tel & Tel	5 1/2	5 1/2
Johns Manville	14 1/2	14 1/2
Kelvinator	3 1/2	3 1/2
Kennecott Cop	7 1/2	7 1/2
Kresge Stores	6 1/2	6 1/2
Kroger Groceries	15	15 1/2
Lambert Chem	24 1/2	24 1/2
Loews	12 1/2	13 1/2
Lorillard	11 1/2	11 1/2
McKeesport Tin	47	47 1/2
McKesson	2	2
Mac Truck	14 1/2	14 1/2
Mex Seaboard Oil	17	17 1/2
Mo Kan Tex	6 1/2	6 1/2
Mo Pac	2 1/2	2 1/2
Mont Ward	9 1/2	9 1/2
Murray Corp	1 1/2	1 1/2
Nash Motors	11 1/2	12 1/2
Natl Biscuit	33	34 1/2
Natl Cash Reg	6	6
Natl Dairy	11	11
Natl Pow & L	8 1/2	8 1/2
N. Y. Central	14 1/2	15 1/2
New Haven R. R.	12	12 1/2
North Am	18 1/2	20 1/2
Packard Motors	2 1/2	2 1/2
Para Public	5	5 1/2
Penn R. R.	15 1/2	16 1/2
Phillips Petro	5 1/2	5 1/2
Pub Ser of N. J.	41 1/2	41 1/2
Pullman Co	19 1/2	19 1/2
Radio	3	3 1/2
Radio Keith	1 1/2	1 1/2
Rem Rand	3 1/2	3 1/2
Rep Motors	1 1/2	1 1/2
Reo Iron & Steel	4 1/2	4 1/2
Reynolds Tob B	28 1/2	28 1/2
Rossia Ins	3 1/2	3 1/2
Sears-Roebuck	14	14 1/2
Simmons	4 1/2	4 1/2
Sinclair Oil	5 1/2	5 1/2
South Pac	12 1/2	13 1/2
Standard Brands	8	8 1/2
Stand Gas & Elec	8	8 1/2
S. O. of Cal	20 1/2	20 1/2
S. O. of N. J.	23 1/2	23 1/2
S. O. of N. Y.	6 1/2	6 1/2
Sterling Sec	3	3 1/2
Stewart-Warner	2 1/2	2 1/2
Studebaker	3 1/2	3 1/2
Texas Corp	11 1/2	11 1/2
Tex Gulf	10 1/2	10 1/2
Texas Pac L. & T.	4 1/2	4 1/2
Timken Roller	14 1/2	15 1/2

Stocks Move Higher  
As The Third Hour  
Was Drawing Near**Passage of Bankruptcy Bill Which Now Goes to President Helped to Give Confidence — Volume Was Not So Heavy**

New York, March 1—(UP)—The stock market today followed its price movement but not in volume the swift pace of congress in enacting remedial legislation to relieve the present banking situation. Passage of the bankruptcy bill which now goes to the president was immediately followed by a rally in prices around the end of the third hour of trading. Earlier in the day the list had been depressed fractions to more than a point. Thereafter the rally was sustained and late prices were around the best levels of the day.

Stocks moved up without the help of bonds or commodities. United States government issues declined again as banks sold holdings to make their positions liquid. Wheat lost nearly all of an early gain and closed steady. Cotton was steady around the previous close. Spot silver was unchanged while silver futures declined.

The feature of the day was a sudden and unexpected rise of 100 per cent from 1 to 2 per cent in call money against stock exchange collateral. Other money rates advanced correspondingly.

The 2 p.m. call money rate was the first change from an artificial one per cent figure since October 13, 1932 and the first advance in call money in a year and a half. Bankers' acceptances were forced up a full point, the widest gain in the history of that market as dealers anticipated dumping of the bills on the market at a sacrifice.

Immediate reason for the rise in money rates was the addition of Tennessee and Kentucky to the list of states declaring banking moratoria. Restricted withdrawals were in force in many cities. A bright spot was ending of the Dayton bank holiday.

The foreign exchange market still reflected nervousness over the American situation. The pound sterling and its satellites, the Norwegian currencies, declined, but French francs made further gains, pressing further exodus of gold to Paris. Declines were noted in Belgian, German and Dutch units. Swiss francs advanced.

Railroad shares were among the best performers in the rally. New York Central rose more than a point. Atchison a point, while fractional gains were noted in others of the group.

Railroad news was favorable. Earnings of many roads made a favorable showing in January, reports for the month released today revealed. Car loadings for the week ended February 25 were making a better showing than anticipated. Railroads were included in the bankruptcy bill and that phase was probably the principal impetus for the recovery in the group.

Steel news related the difficulties involved in the banking moratorium, the Iron Age citing a 20 point drop to 17 per cent of capacity as a direct result. Steel common stocks were noted in the early trading and later came back to 25, it closed at 23 1/2 up 1/2 point.

American Telephone touched 95 1/4, rallied to 98 1/8 and closed at 98 up 3/4 point. Allied Chemical closed at 74 3/8 up 5/8; American Can 52 3/8 up 5/8; Case 34 1/8 up 1 1/2; New York Central 35 up 1 3/8; consolidated Gas 45 5/8 up 1 1/2; and North American 20 1/4